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Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A FINE BILLIARD TABLE HAS JUST BEEN SET UP.

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Always on hand; also a

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Horses Boarded by Day or Month AT REASONABLE RATES.

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Pioneer Drug Store,

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ALWAYS ON HAND.

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TEETH EXTRACTED

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Gloves of all Description constantly on hand.

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JEPTHA JEANS.....Proprietor,

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ACCOMMODATION.

FOR the accommodation of parties residing at a distance from town, the proprietor has commenced to run a daily

MEAT WAGON,

Which will attend to all orders in his line. ap7-tf

EDWARD HAYES,

CORNER OF FIRST & ABBY STS.,

Having enlarged his establishment, is now prepared to do all kinds of

Work in His Line

INCLUDING

CARRIAGES, WAGONS,

FARMING MACHINERY,

AND TURNING

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

And he does not propose to be outdone in workmanship, or in fair, honorable dealing.

☞ Horse-shoeing a Specialty. ☜

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OWEN WYNNE, MERCHANT TAILOR,

Informs the Public that he will make Clothing at Greatly Reduced Prices, and a

GOOD FIT GUARANTEED

IN EVERY CASE!

Business Suits,	$30 to $40
Pants,	$6 to $14
Dress Suits to Order,	$35 to $50

Don't fail to call and examine my work before going elsewhere, all my own manufacture.

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Promptly Attended to.

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INFORMS the citizens of Winters that he is prepared to supply them with pure FRESH MILK, morning and evening, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of their patronage. Orders left at his residence on Grant street, Cox's Addition, will be promptly attended to. dec16-tf

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INFORMS the citizens of Winters that he is prepared with a good team to do Draying, at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms, and solicits their patronage. nov3-tf

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LADIES' Crape, Woolen Shawls, Dresses of every description. Gloves and Feathers Dyed and Cleaned. Also Ladies' and Gentlemen's Clothing Dyed and Cleaned without Shrinkage. nov24-1y

The American Farmer.

Farm labor is the primal toil
That dates from Eden, on whose soil
The angels closed their wings, and trod,
And Beauty full-blown broke the sod.

The farmer feels an honest pride
Among his fields and pastures wide;
His home-like house and happy nest,
With cheerful wife and happy children blest.

The swallow-haunted barns well stored
With full and generous harvest hoard—
This little world, which he has planned,
Has grown and thriven 'neath his hand.

He walks beneath the spreading shade
Of trees he planted with his spade
Before his well-grown boys were born,
And neither give him cause to mourn.

The cattle love and know his call,
And toss their heads above the wall,
And every creature round the place
Looks fondly in his kindly face.

He takes delight—and who would not?—
In showing one his garden plot;
His orchards laughing in the sun,
A well-deserved praise have won.

To Nature's beauties never blind,
He good in everything can find.
The voice of Poverty he heeds—
Forgets its faults and feeds its needs.

By duty done and time well spent
He earns the best of boons—content,
That in its train, his story says,
Brings health and wealth and length of days.

The Temple of the Seminoles.

Suddenly the old Indian, with a sweep of his paddle, brought the boat before the wind, slacked the sheet of the little sail, and we turned toward the distant islands. I inquired his purpose, and he swept his arm in that direction, saying with emphasis:

"Haulawagus! bad luck. Yonder we find um. Good harbor. The black cavern. Where Seminole dance the green corn dance. Must go."

I said nothing more, having a supreme trust in his oft-tested ability in trying cases, and a helpless contempt for my own inefficiency.

For an hour we flew before the wind, while the low-lying cloud grew darker, denser, changed from grey to blue, from blue to the more distinguishable colors that inhabited it, revealing low, sandy ridges, bush-covered, fringed by the ever-recurring green of the waving marshes. The islets were numberless, and straggling channels interpenetrated their hidden recesses in intricate confusion. Into one of these, driven by the gale and guided by the paddle of Tiger Tail, we glided and swept rapidly around its curves into smooth water. I took up a pair of oars, and, with the sail lowered, we rowed and paddled down long reaches, around sudden points, up quiet coves and sequestered nooks, whose peaceful eddies were in vivid contrast with the turmoil on the lake without.

As we advanced the shore grew higher and more abrupt. The water-border of marsh grew less frequent and finally disappeared. Rocky ledges of soft, gray limestone, interspersed with bold bluffs of coquina, faced the water; while the shrubbery rose from the stunted bush of the sand-scrub, gradually into a larger forest growth of bay, palmetto, magnolia, oak, india-rubber and crab-wood. At length we came to a deep, tranquil basin, covering an acre or so, which seemed the receptacle of several confluent channels that radiated thence in all directions. On the southern side rose a high shell bluff, precipitous toward the water, whose over-sloping sides hung heavy with a clinging growth of alders, gall-berries and red man-groves; the pyramidal network of roots of the latter rising from the water's edge, while the masses of its long-pointed leaves veiled all that lay behind.

As we approached the bluff the water suddenly grew deeper, and changed its color from the purplish green of the lake to a clear, crystalized hue of diamond-like brilliancy, resembling the purest spring water of a mountain rill. The smallest fish moved visibly over the bottom, and as we approached the mangroves hiding the base of the cliff, a huge alligator, whose serried rows of scales glistened beneath the marvelous transparency of the water, swam leisurely out from their deep shadows and passed directly under our frail boat, forty feet below us.

The cliff now towered above us fifty feet high, and as the bow of the canoe touched the even belt of foliage around it, I heard a dull, smothered roar within. Tiger Tail now shouted to me to lie down. I obeyed, and, with a powerful sweep of his paddle, we plunged in among the mangroves. They swept over the gunwales, raking my recumbent form, and at each advancing movement grew more dense and seemingly impenetrable. But the skill and knowledge of the Indian were equal to the occasion. The branches at length ceased rubbing, and I rose. We were under the cliff that bestled threateningly over us, meeting the equally towering, but receding mangroves, both forming a stupendous arch impervious to sunlight and wind. It was gloomy and shadowy around us, while the dark water below was streaked with the blacker, swift-moving shadows of its myriad occupants—silent, rapid and mysterious. Before us, at the dun base of the precipice, yawned a black and glaring chasm, into which Tiger Tail drove the canoe with reckless rapidity, saying, in the Seminole tongue:

"Look! This was the last refuge of the withered Tustinuggee, the last great Chief of the Seminoles. He sleeps well. His spirit slumbers beneath the waters. Listen! Do you hear their roar? Before we buried him all was still. No sound, no echo. Now their voice is eternal, for his soul lives in it and inspires it."

Considering the time and place, I respected his superstition enough to interpose no comment, but only wondered at the strange burial place and the sad romance of the situation. The war of waters increased, and mingled with it was a gurgling, seething hiss, like the boiling of a huge cauldron. It came from the depths of the cavern we now entered, vaulted in obscurity. We kindled some splinters of fat pine, placed them in our fire-pan, which I held to illumine our progress.

What we were now in was a long, arched passage, the sides and roof of which were a solid mass of coquina. Its scaly surface, glistening with white shells, interlaid profusely throughout, was dripping with moisture. Our lowest accents had a hollow resonance. We advanced for some distance, when, on turning a sharp angle, a curious and beautiful scene was dimly presented. The vaulted passage suddenly widened into a dome-like apartment of loftier dimensions and circular as to form. A narrow stone platform ran around the sides at a slight elevation above the water, as smooth and regular in its construction as though the rules of art had supplemented the irregularities of nature. The whole central surface of the cavern was an up-surging volume of water, rising from the unknown depths below in a circular, undulating wave, which, as it rose, converged toward a common centre in a uniting crest of foam, and continually disappeared, with a downward rush, into the vortex, to presently rise again at the outer edge, and renew its eternal evolutions. This was the cause of the subdued roar we had heard.

We landed at the rocky platform, and, tying the canoe to a projecting ledge, I followed the guide, wondering at the strange motions of the once shiftless, inert, taciturn and vulgar scion of a tribe whose remnant, as I had hitherto seen them, seemed the personification of savage ignorance and cloth. He was on what was to him holy ground. His attitude, gestures, and the very gleam of his faltering eye, betokened that all the long dormant exalting qualities of his degenerate being were rising to the surface. I alluded to the glitter of a column or pillar of changing water, one of the many forms assumed by the element in its turbulence, and likened the swift play of its shadow on the torch-lit walls to the grimaces and gyrations of a monkey, when he sternly bade me cease such comparisons, as unworthy of the place and its "medicines"; by which last he indicated, I suppose, the tutelary deity of the hallowed spot.

We crept around the circling plane of rock to the farthest side from our point of entrance, when a continuation of the cavern presented itself. Tiger Tail bade me grasp his deerskin robe, and after putting up the fire-pan, we entered this cavern. The bottom was dry, and seemed gradually to ascend in winding, irregular curves, but the darkness was supreme. We struggled vaguely on and upward, for, as it seemed to me, an interminable distance, until a sudden complete turn around an acute angle of the rock brought us into a blaze of light that actually staggered me. We were in the open air, with an unclouded sun dazzling our unaccustomed eyes; at our feet the maze of islands, and beyond the wide expanse of Okeechobee, with the dim blue line of coast bordering the horizon. We were upon a level space of an acre in extent, with a higher ridge fronting the south, and a slope to the north and west, while to the east the plane seemed to break off suddenly.

I climbed the scrubby ridge to the southward, and upon its highest summit found one of those gigantic mounds that have so long puzzled the antiquaries of Florida. Its long surface was covered with shells, the most of which were of the oyster. These had evidently been brought from the coast and eaten there. At the apex of the mound was a tall cabbage-palmetto tree, that towered, in isolated supremacy, over the highest elevation of South Florida.

Tiger Tail now joined me and explained that this spot had for ages been a gathering place for his tribe. When they were monarchs of Florida their chieftains and medicine men here assembled in solemn conclave and celebrated the annual festival of the green corn dance. Then the wide cove below was covered with their multitudinous fleets of canoes, while all the neighboring islands were white with the sheen of their wigwams by day, and brilliant with the blaze of their campfires by night. Now, in the wreck of their ruin, it was still one of their central resorts. Here, as the days of their prosperity, the last decayed remnants of their nearly extinct nationality, still true to the ancient observances of their race, met annually to renew the memory of departed greatness in the ceremony of the green corn dance. The great Osceola himself had led the dance here, and the scarcely less illustrious "Bowlegs," or "Tuscenoreekaman," had officiated at the last great festival previous to the removal of most of the tribe beyond the Mississippi. Now the cove was dotted with but a ragged sail or two, while the few more ragged owners squatted beside a camp-fire on the bluff. Alas! nature's ceaseless compensations are but too often wrought through ruin and fostered by decay.—*South Atlantic.*

THOSE who have been brought in contact with the King of Spain find him sensible beyond his years. When he arrived in Spain a committee of the Cortes waited upon him, and told him that a constitution was being prepared. He replied that, so far as the political portion of the constitution was concerned, he left the matter entirely in the hands of the representatives of the nation; but that, in regard to any question affecting his marriage, he could not admit interference. Then he fell in love with his cousin, "Mercedes," a fine handsome girl, the daughter of his uncle the Duc de Montpensier. "But," said his advisers, "the duke is so unpopular." "I am not going to marry the duke," replied the king, "but his daughter. I give you free leave to dislike the father; all I ask is, that you should follow my example, and like the daughter."

THE oldest merchant-vessel still afloat is the Dutch ship *Commissaries des Koniy von der Heine.* She was built in 1568, and is still in a good condition. Eight years ago she made the long and dangerous voyage from Batavia to Holland around Cape Horn.

Jacob Bunn.

It is not often that any man's mishaps can shake a whole State, as the failure of Mr. Jacob Bunn, banker of Springfield, has the State of Illinois. It affords a close parallel to the case of Ralston, the great San Francisco banker. Bunn was in many respects such a man as Ralston, with the same hopes and ambitions, and though not as brilliant a man as the Banker Prince of the Pacific Coast, was an abler and more solid one. Both were distinguished by their high ambition to be something beyond mere money-getters and hoarders. They had great desire for money and great talent for making it, but they regarded it not for its own sake, but as a ladder to reach their other ambitions.

Both wanted to be that indefinite thing that forms so large a measure of an American's hopes—a leading man in community, and to the attainment of this end they bent all their energies. Mr. Ralston, not content with being at the head of one of the greatest banks in the world, would also be a social leader, a host who would stand at the supreme head of the Pacific Coast society; he would be the leader in all industrial and commercial enterprises, would control parties, and make and unmake public men.

Mr. Bunn, who is acknowledged by all to be one of the ablest bankers in the nation, could, if he had chosen to confine his efforts within that channel, have made and kept a fortune which would hardly have been surpassed anywhere west of the Alleghenies, if in the country. But he was not content with mere money; to be known simply as the richest man in Illinois or the West would have afforded him little satisfaction. He had that peculiar cast of mind which seems confined to Americans, and which values money as a means and not an end.

He threw more of his great energies into other pursuits than into his legitimate business. He aspired to lead everywhere, and naturally drifted into politics, and for the last fifteen years has been the most powerful man by all odds in Illinois political circles. He raised up and pulled down men, and no measure could pass the Legislature to which he was opposed. He never seemed to want any office for himself, but apparently took all his pleasure in the knowledge of the great power he wielded.

He was devoted to the interest of the town where he had began as a poor clerk and resided all his life, and much of his force and ability were devoted to building it up. It was due to his efforts that the capital was retained at Springfield, and one of these efforts consisted in building the grand Leland House, at a cost of $350,000, to satisfy the grumblers who urged as a reason for removing the capital that a stay of a few months at Springfield, with its wretched hotels and lack of amusements, was more than ought to be demanded of any legislator. Mr. Bunn lost at least $75,000 by his hotel investment, and perhaps $150,000 in an Opera House, which he became involved in.

His ambition for political power led him into the establishment of the Chicago *Republican*, which cost him at least $250,000 in hard cash, and for which he received, after the fire had swept over it, about $5,000 for its franchise and good will, and $30,000 for insurance.

His next unlucky venture was the attempt to introduce the sugar beet culture into Illinois, by which he expected to enrich his State beyond calculation. This cost him for his share $175,000.

Whenever the Chicago papers want sound "horse-sense" on any subject they send out their reporters to interview Long John Wentworth. This is the way the Sage of Summit Farm discoursed to the *Times'* man concerning Bunn's failure:

"I tell you, young man, that no bank is solid that has anything to do with politics, religion, or real estate. A banker's got to attend to his own legitimate business, and if he don't, he'll bust, and that's all there's to it.

"You see, Bunn's been running politics for ten or fifteen years. He has controlled one legislature after another, and that cost. In fact it cost more than it's worth. If a man gets to buying in politics there's no end to it. Every one that is for sale comes to him and he must buy whether he needs the wares or not. Do you know how men sell themselves to a bank? Eh? Well, you see it's very easy. You know they are too honorable to sell themselves, but they borrow money on their notes. They have no collaterals and put none up. They never intend, are never expected to pay these debts. That's the way it's done. I have heard that Bunn's bank is loaded down with political paper."

"You know Bunn!"

"Yes, I know something of him, but Sol Smith knows him a great deal better than I do. Sol's the President of our bank—the Merchants' Saving, Loan and Trust Company. We were talking about Bunn to day. Sol said that he was one of the shrewdest men in banking that he knew anything about, and that if he'd stuck to his legitimate business, he'd be immensely rich. But he couldn't keep out of politics, and you see where it has landed him. It's the old story over again. From the days of Nick Biddle down till now there never was a bank that went into politics or religion or real estate that didn't bust. It's only a question of time with them."—*Toledo Blade.*

MR. MADAN, of Eaton, suggests to Professor Hall, of Washington, names for the moons of Mars discovered by the latter. They come from the passage in the "Iliad" (xv. 119), when Mars hears of the death of his son and starts up impetuously and wants to rush off and fight for the Trojans, until Minerva soothes him and seats him on his throne. In his excitement he "commands fear and flight to yoke his steeds," and here Mr. Madan gets Deimus and Phœbus as names for the little Martian moons. It is a pretty scholarly conceit and worth the attention of the god-father of the little satellites.

Cheerful Women.

In marrying, men should seek happy women. They make a terrible mistake when they marry for beauty, or for talent, or for style; the sweetest wives are those who possess the magic secret of being happy under any and all circumstances. Rich or poor, high or low, it makes no difference, the bright little fountain bubbles up just as musically in their hearts. Nothing ever goes wrong with them, no trouble is too serious for them to "make the best of it." Was ever the stream of calamity so dark and deep, that the sunlight of a happy face, falling across its turbid tide, would not wake an answering gleam? Why, these joyous tempered people don't know half the good they do. No matter how cross and crabbed you may feel, no matter if your brain is full of meditation on "afflicting dispensations," and your stomach with medicines, pills, and tonics, just let one of those cherry little women talk to you and we are not afraid to wager anything she can cure you. The long-drawn lines about the mouth will relax—the cloud of settled gloom will vanish, nobody knows where, and the first thing you know, you will be laughing! Ah, what blessings are those happy women! How often their little hands guide the ponderous machine of life with an almost invisible touch! How we look forward through the weary day to their fireside smiles! No one knows, no one ever will know until the day of judgment reveals, how much we owe to these helpful, hopeful, uncomplaining, happy women.—*Waverly.*

PLAIN TRUTH.—In domestic happiness, the wife's influence is much greater than her husband's. By her management of small sums her husband's respectability and credit are created or destroyed. No fortune can stand the constant leakages of extravagance and mismanagement; and more is spent in trifles than women would easily believe. The one great expense, whatever it may be, is turned over and carefully reflected on ere incurred; the income is prepared to meet it. But it is pennies imperceptibly sliding away which do the mischief; and this alone the wife can stop, for it does not come within a man's province. There is often an unsuspected trifle to be saved in every household. It is not in economy alone that the wife's attention is so necessary, but in those matters which make a well-regulated house. An unfinished cruet-stand, a missing key, a buttonless shirt, a soiled table-cloth, a mustard-pot with its old contents sticking hard and brown about it, are really nothing; but each can raise an angry word or cause discomfort.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF CHILDREN.—Some writer, but his name we do not know, holds the following rational discourse in relation to the dressing of children: "Send two children into the street; let one be a bare-headed, bare-footed ragamuffin, with a face which perhaps never had more than one thorough washing, hair that never heard of a comb, and nobody would think of giving him a hand to help him through a mud-puddle, or over any gutter; or if he should get run over in the street, you would hear no other remark than that he was a dirty dog, and might have got out of the way. On the other hand, send a sweet little girl into the street, looking like a new-blown rose with the glistening dew drops hanging from its leaves, and above all, her face as clear as air, as transparent as you know her untainted mind is under all this, and there is not a chimney-sweep so low that he would not give her the sidewalk; nor a clown even among the most clownish, who would not, if he dared touch her, wipe his hand upon his clothes, and with delight carry her over the crossings, rather than that she should soil even the sole of her slipper.

CORN-STARCH CAKE.—Two cups sugar, one cup butter, two cups flour, one cup cornstarch, one cup of milk, four eggs, one teaspoonful soda and two of cream of tartar all together. Flavor with almond only.

ENGLISH BREAD SAUCE.—Cut some light bread in small pieces; boil sufficient milk with a good-sized onion in it to thoroughly soak it; mix and let stand awhile, then boil and add butter, pepper, and salt and a few black pepper-corns; take out the onion before serving.

ROLLED JELLY CAKE.—One cupful of sugar, one cupful flour, four eggs, whites and yolks beaten separately, two teaspoonfuls baking powder. Bake in a dripping-pan; when done turn the cake out upside down on a towel. Spread with jelly or icing and roll up carefully. It will not break.

TO PRESERVE DRIED FRUIT.—Dry fruit of any kind may be kept from moths and worms by putting it into sacks that have been dipped into salt brine, and then dried; and if strips of cloth, so treated, were laid along the seams of boxes, in which dry fruit is packed, I believe it would be a sure preventive from worms.

COCOANUT CAKE.—One-half cupful butter, one cupful sugar, one-half cupful sweet milk, two cupfuls flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, salt, three eggs, whites of two taken out for icing. Frosting—whites of two eggs beaten to a stiff froth with egg-beater, then, a teaspoonful at a time, add twenty teaspoonfuls powdered sugar, stirring it with a knife. Bake cake in jelly-cake tins, spread each cake with icing, and sprinkle each evenly and thickly with dessicated cocoanut.

CODFISH BALLS.—Put the fish to soak over night in luke-warm water, having first cut it in small pieces; the next morning boil it twenty minutes; change the water for boiling hot and boil fifteen minutes longer; when cold pick it to pieces; remove all bones and skin; then shred very fine with a fork; add as much cold mashed potato as fish, a lump of butter, and a little sweet milk; if they are to be extra nice, add a beaten egg; fry them in hot lard or good drippings on both sides.

ONE-HALF cup of corn-starch improves any common cake; less flour, however, must be used.

THE WINTERS ADVOCATE.

SATURDAY.....FEBRUARY 2, 1878.

Local Agents.

☞ George D. Lyle is our authorized agent at Madison, who will receive advertisements and subscriptions, and receipt for the same.

☞ W. B. McCLELLAN, Real Estate Agent, is our agent at Sacramento, who will receive advertisements and attend to collections and receipt for the same.

The Constitutional Convention is a fixed fact. It will meet next August.

Over 1,000,000 trade dollars have been sent East from this coast the present month for domestic circulation.

A Mr. Wm. Hastings has petitioned Congress to be released from his allegiance as a citizen of the United States.

The war between Turkey and Russia is about wound up, Turkey coming out at the little end of the horn.

One of our astute lawmakers has introduced a bill for the introduction of "Webster's Spelling Book." into our schools.

A locomotive with four men from Red Bluff fell through the bridge at Dibble's on Wednesday afternoon.

If all the amendments to the Code are passed by the present Legislature the moral law will be as a pigmy in comparison to the next edition of that work.

Wigginton has been reported by the House of Representatives Election Committee as having been elected over Pacheco by a majority of four votes.

Senator Lambert made an elaborate speech in the Senate, on the School Book question, advocating the printing of our school books at the State Printing office.

Assemblyman DeWitt has introduced a bill to authorize the mortgaging of property belonging to the heirs of Samuel T. Welch of Yolo county.

We are in receipt of a handsomely illustrated paper, "The Sacramento Fashion Courier," published by Louis Bien, 224 J. Street, Sacramento.

The suit against Mr. Tilden, to recover income tax, which was made so much of by the New York Timee, during the campaign, has been decided in favor of Mr. Tilden.

Hon. W. Z. Angney, State Senator from Santa Clara county, died at his residence near Gilroy, on Monday last. He occupied a prominent position in the Democratic party.

The Sacramento Bee says: "To the north of the city there is one vast sheet of water, and a view from an elevated position would incline one to think he was on an island at the present time."

The Matthews resolutions, declaring the public debt payable in silver, passing by a vote of 43 to 22, indicates the passage of the Bland silver bill, by a sufficient majority to override a Presidential veto, should it be interposed.

A gentleman in England committed suicide the other day, and left a paper stating that he did so because his wife was a great deal too good for him. The jury returned a verdict that the deceased "was of an unsound state of mind."

The Record-Union of Wednesday week last published an extensive and valuable article on the "Climate of California," from the pen of B. B. Redding, which is replete with information of value to those whose give attention to the subject.

Grape syrup of excellent quality is now successfully made in the Sonoma and Napa valleys, mostly from the Mission grape, and with the ordinary evaporator. It is claimed that at 50 cents per gallon for the syrup, $20 can be paid for the grapes —a much better price than for making either wine or brandy.

The only way to avoid being swindled by the silver dollar is to refrain from remonetizing it. Silver is too unstable a metal, and the chances against its appreciation are too many, to render any tampering with it other than dangerous and impolitic.—Record-Union.

Then why did your party tamper with it in 1873?

The St. Louis Times speaks as follows of our newly-made U. S. Senator: "Hon. James T. Farley is in favor of the old silver dollar, opposed to building railroads on Government credit, and very decidedly antagonistic to Chinese immigration. Whether he is right or wrong on these questions, it is refreshing to have a Senator from that State who has views of his own. This is a good deal more than could ever be said of Sargent or Booth."

A Kansas couple who were apparently living in peace and harmony were not long ago divorced, greatly to the surprise of their neighbors, but the mystery is now explained. The husband had homesteaded 160 acres of fine farming land and there was another 160 acres adjoining not yet taken up. The pair were divorced, the woman entered the vacant quarter section and established her claims as the head of a family. When this was done the pair remarried, and now have a fine farm of half a section.

The Postoffice Department at Washington intends selling at auction, soon, over 10,000 articles which have accumulated at the Dead Letter Office. The catalogue embraces 1,275 lots of jewelry, 2,161 books, engravings, chromos, etc., and over 6,000 miscellaneous articles, embracing almost every description of wearing apparel—from babies' socks to women's dresses—and a heterogeneous collection of objects, in the enumeration of which are specified such extremely miscellaneous articles as candlesticks, clocks, revolvers, wax toys, false hair, Easter eggs, feathers, surgical instruments, stuffed lizards, bed-quilts, preserved potato bugs, etc.

THE PROSPECT.

The abundant rain fall of the past three weeks has set at rest all doubts as to the certainly of good crops this season. A larger area has been sown to wheat in Yolo county than ever before and the prospect for an abundant yield is cheering the hearts of our agriculturists, in the whole extent of Buckeye township, and on the south side of Putah creek in Solano county, as far as hear from, the prospect is equally cheering, not only to farmers, but to vegetable and fruit raisers.

Serious damage has occurred in some instances to grain growers by the flooding of immense tracts of land on the borders of the Sacramento river. Among the sufferers we note Chas. F. Reed, of Knight's Landing, and Messrs. J. P. Bullock, and J. C. and W. H. Welch, of Woodland, who had large tracts of land sown to wheat. From Davisville and surrounding sections, and indeed from all parts of the county the good word comes to us that abundant crops are assured.

In Colusa county considerable damage has been done by the overflowing of the river banks and the breaks in the levees. Some 25,000 acres in wheat on the west bank of the river, and a large area on the east bank are under water, and as much as three-fifths, it is said will be drowned out by water. The Colusa Sun of Saturday last says: "The water, the last two rises, was higher at Jacinto than known for years. The levee across the Bounds slough, five miles above Princeton, broke and the water is running out a perfect river. The levee has also several other breaks above on this side of the river as well as on the other side. Dr. Glenn lost between 2,000 and 3,500 sheep by the storm, and between 200 and 250 cords of wood carried away by the high water, and about 200 head of hogs, drowned in the bends of the river. The great amount of water, the last rise, has carried off some of the bridges west of Princeton. On the other side of the river most of Moulton's grain is out of water, except what he has below McConnell's—that will be drowned out. Campbell & Spurgeon and Bayless Brothers have a good deal of wheat now under water, on Butte creek, but there will be but little of it drowned out unless we have long-continued high water.

On Tuesday last from Chico to Gridley's Station in Butte county, a distance of thirty miles, was covered with one vast sheet of water.

Mississippi Items.

[From the Ralls Co. Record, Jan. 16th.]

Roland Keithley one among the oldest citizens of Ralls county, died in Saverton township on Friday last, aged 86 years.

Elder John H. Keach departed this life at his residence three miles south of New London, Jan. 11th, aged 70 years. He lingered and suffered from pneumonia for over a month before his death.

H. W. Salmon, of Clinton, late State Treasurer, is mentioned in connection with Congressional honors in the Sixth District.

Dr. Conway, the great temperance reformer, is at present talking to the unregenerate, whiskey-guzzling people of Mexico.

The following is a genuine "excuse brought to a teacher not a great distance from New London:

"Miss——please excuse——for She was helping me She is a grate help to me thou small she may be I would miss hur if the lord should Call her at any time & oblige Mrs. ——."

A Missouri woman is a mighty handy thing to have about the house. She doesn't cost any more to keep than you'll give her, and she'll take a great interest in you. If you go out at night she'll be awake when you get home, and she'll tell you all about yourself, and more too. Of course she will know where you've been and what kept you out so late, and will tell you; right after she gets through telling you that, she will ask you where you have been and what kept you out so late. And after you tell her, and she won't believe you, you musn't mind that, and if, after going to bed, she says she hasn't closed her eyes the whole night, and then keeps up the matinee two hours longer and won't go to sleep when she has a chance to, you musn't mind that either; it's her nature.

Tax-paying is still going on, and the Collector is doing his duty in a satisfactory manner. It looks hard to see the old gray-headed farmer dive into his breeches pocket and bring forth old keepsakes—silver dollars that his oldest children "cut teeth" on, and hand them over to the Collector in order to avoid being sold out.

Charley Peers, the irrepressible, of Warren county, will present his claims to the Democratic Convention, next fall, for Congressional honors.

Judge James Birch died at his residence in Plattsburg, Clinton county, last Thursday night. Judge Birch was well known to the politicians of Missouri. He was a consistent and earnest Democrat, at one time a member of the Supreme Court of the State.

MARRIED.—At Hydesburg, Mr. C. Hornback and Miss Sallie E Clayton. Mr. Sam Owens, of Frankford to Miss Clara Dooley, of Madisonville. Mr. Charles Priest to Miss Georgia Hawkins.

[Monroe Ledger, Jr. 17th.]

The Ledger comes to us printed one-half in blue ink, blue being the badge of the Murphy Temperance movement.

Last Sunday night, says the Ledger, Dr. Conway of Philadelphia, opened the Murphy meeting at the Opera House. On the first night over 500 persons took the pledge, and in the last 96 hours over 2,000 have followed suit. The whole town is in a ragin' heat, and the change that has come over Mexico is marvellous.

In Louisiana, the last place shuck up by Dr. Conway, enthusiastic meetings are being held each night. Saloons that sold 10 and 15 kegs of beer in a day now cannot sell half a keg. So in Andrain, the worst sots are falling into line.

The Murphies closed out the saloon at Laddonia last Tuesday night, the saloon keeper and 95 others joining the Murphy band.

Roe McIntyre living 5 miles south of Mexico, has been sent to the insane asylum—his insanity caused by failure in business.

DIED—January 12th, Samuel Shyrock, of Sturgeon, Mo. Jan. 11th Mrs. Jane Bryarly.

THE FLOODS IN VIRGINIA.

The late floods in Virginia, we see it stated, destroyed property to the amount of $13,000,000. The following extract from a letter from Sycamore Station, Va., by Mrs. Dr. Gregory, from her brother, will give some idea of the destruction of property and the consequent distress in that portion of the State in which he resides: The letter is under date of

SYCAMORE STATION, Pottsylvania Co., Va., Jan. 15, 1878.

DEAR SISTER:—***We are making out to live, but in the most difficult times I have ever seen. The only crop we make to sell is tobacco, and that will hardly pay to market. We make tolerable good crops of wheat add corn, and that is lower in price with us than it has been for years. We have, however, but few buyers or sellers of either. Pork is also lower than it has been for years. I have little of interest to write about except the most remarkable weather for the past six months, and its effects. I have ever seen. Last summer we had a remarkable branch freshet, doing great damage to crops, even on small branches, but little on creeks and none on rivers. The Fall was dry and beautiful till about the first of October, when we had a rain storm lasting several days, and there was a great freshet in the creeks and rivers. Our river Staunton was higher than any other. It was higher than it had been before since 1814. Great damage was done to the corn and tobacco crop, also to mills and mill dams, a great many being badly damaged, and others carried entirely away. While I live immediately on the river, there is no low ground on our place, consequently I received no damage, but many of my neighbors lost a good deal. They were all about becoming reconciled to their losses and had housed and cured and gathered their tobacco and corn crops and felt entirely secure from another such freshet, as the river was higher than it had been before for 63 years, and they had come to the conclusion that it would not be repeated again in 63 years more. But, alas, for human calculations; after the freshet of the 1st of October, the weather was comparatively dry and good till the 25th of November, when it began again to rain, and for three days and nights it fell in torrents. The rain ceased about midnight, and by sunrise next morning Staunton river had risen ten feet higher than it was on the 1st of October. The water was up on the high hillsides and presented a terrible appearance, and by 12 o'clock there was nothing left on the river—everything that spanned it, from its source in the mountains to its mouth at Albemarle Sound, was swept away, and all the corn fodder, oats, shucks, straw and tobacco and barns were carried away from the banks and hillsides. The river in my immediate vicinity forms a very crooked "S," and within five miles of me there were not less than 30 barns full of tobacco carried away, besides great quantities of tobacco ruined in the barns that were not swept away. As tobacco is bringing so little in market, this was a small loss compared with that of the corn and forage, and, in some instances, wheat. But few dwellings were washed away, as it is characteristic of our people to build on the highest hills and as far from water as possible, even springs. There was no such thing as one neighbor helping another, for had those who lost but little given a small portion to those who lost severely, they would have been left in equally as bad a condition.

The people on James River, Staunton and their tributaries, were the greatest sufferers. Banester was very high and carried away all the bridges in Halifax.

S. T. NUNNELLS.

We learn from our exchanges that heavy rains in Virginia, last week, caused another big raise in the rivers, and the bridge over the Staunton river, on the Richmond and Danville Railroad, just replaced, was again swept away, the third time within two months. The iron bridge over the same river, on the Virginia Midland Railway, between Lynchburg and Danville, was also washed away. This bridge was destroyed during the great flood in November, and but recently replaced.

That policy is one which he [Hayes] could scarcely have avoided. He had to sustain governments in South Carolina and Louisiana, obnoxious to the intelligent portion of the population, the use of the army of the United States, or he had to withdraw the army and leave the people of those States to organize and administer the laws without outside interference. He chose the latter. It was indeed a "Hobson's choice." He had no authority under the Constitution for using the army thus when no revolution existed.—[Alta.

And yet, when Grant pursued the opposite course you applauded him! Where is your honesty? Where is your consistency? That which was right last year is wrong this year! Principles have changed in a short twelve months! You lied then, or you lie now. Which is it?—[Napa Reporter.

"What time is it now?" called she from her room up stairs.

"The hour before church time," replied the husband, from the sitting-room downstairs.

"All right," said the wife, a moment after, appearing by his side, "You'll have just time enough to finish buttoning my new gloves above the elbow."

And like a brave little man that he was, he tackled the task, and it was equal to a hard day's work. But they nevertheless got to church in time for the singing preceding the benediction.

It is said that seedless apples can be obtained in this way: The young sprout of the first year's growth is bent over, and the tops bent in the ground and made to take root. The shoot springing from this is again bent and buried in this manner, and so on to the fourth and fifth operation, when a tree is obtained whose apples are seedless. We are told the same operation will produce seedless oranges.

We have done some awful mean things in our life, but we never were mean enough to hurt the feelings of three women walking abreast on the crossing by stepping off in the mud. There's something human left about us, if we are in the newspaper business.

To every man as sure as fate,
To keep his daily business straight,
And give his work a proper date
The almanac doth now dictate—
Not to forget till 'tis too late
To count that seven into eight.

Splendid gold improved Howard stem-winders for $100, at Uncle Harris', San Francisco. Send for one.

NOT GWINE TO LEBE DIS WORLD, TO PLAY SNOWBALL.

[From the Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.]

While they were resting from work, at noon, yesterday, Ames said:

"I heah'd er white man reedin in de paper, dis mornin', dat folks was 'batin' now whudder dere wuz enny hell or not!"

"Shucks," said old Si; "you'se got dat wrong eend fo'must, sho!"

"No, sah; dat wuz what he read in de paper."

"Whudder dere wuz enny hell?" repeated Si.

"Yes, sah; whudder, when er man give out up hyar, he went ter hell, er jus' dissolved ter dus' agin?"

"Lookie heah! I don't want no 'spute wid nobody, but ef enny man come foolin' round me wid dat sorter skriptur, he's gwine ter heah me git up yander inter shoutin' tones!" said Si.

"Why is dat?"

"Kaise taint gwine ter do! Yer jus' make er nigger blebe dere aint no heah-arter an' see what yer comes to. Ebery secon' house'll be er courthous', an' de houses 'twixt 'em 'll be jale houses. Hits moughty hard ter keep 'em strate, now, wid de Sheriff an' hell bote befo' dere eyes!"

"Den you'se on de side ob de fiah an' brimstone?"

"You'se right, honey! Ef you tink you'se gwine ter lebe dis wurld, to play snowball somewhar, you'se 'roung. Der's er warm place jess beyant heah, fur de managers ob de freedman bank an' chicken-lifters ginrally, else I'se gwine ter swap my himbook fur er pack of kyards."

Dr. W. C. Harding, Dentist, will be at Vacaville, 28th Jan. to 9th Feb.
Winters, 11th to 23d Feb.
Madison, 25th Feb. to 9th March.
Suisun, 11th March to
Prices as low as good work can be done for.

Dr. Harding has the latest invention for the painless extraction of teeth, perfectly safe.

Address all communications to office at Suisun.

COURT CALENDAR.

The Courts of Yolo County are held as follows:

There are three terms of the District Court, commencing on the third Monday of January, May and September. The Law Day for each of these terms is held on the tenth day next preceding the commencement of each of the said terms.

There are also held three Special Equity Terms of said Court, commencing on the third Monday of March, July and November.

There are four terms of the County Court, commencing on the first Monday of January, April, July and October.

There are also held four terms of the Probate Court, commencing on the respective days of the County Court, of which the County Judge is ex-officio Judge of the Probate Court, which is always open and in session for most business connected with the settlement of estates of deceased persons, and business of guardians.

The Board of Supervisors hold their regular session on the second Monday of each month.

22 loaves of bread have been made from one of Leaf's Cal. Yeast Cake.

MARRIED.

PRITCHARD—STEWARD—In Winters, Jan. 27, 1878, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. C. K. Ferris, John Henry Pritchard to Miss Mary Bell Steward.

[Our best wishes are accorded to the young couple for a long and happy life, and hope our friend John Henry will not fail to give a good account of his Steward ship.

BORN.

CAMPBELL—At Winters, Jan 26, 1878, to J. C. Campbell and wife, a son.

FISH—At Knight's Landing, Jan. 14, to the wife of B. M. Fish, a daughter.

BLACK—At Knight's Landing, Jan. 19, to the wife of John A. Black, a daughter.

DIED.

MONDAY—At the Capital Hotel, Woodland, Jan. 30, James K. P. Monday, aged 32 years, 3 months, 19 days.

NEW THIS WEEK.

HAULING.

I DESIRE TO NOTIFY MY FRIENDS AND THE

Public in General

THAT I AM PREPARED TO DO HAULING

BY THE DAY OR LOAD.

THREE LOADS FOR ONE DOLLAR.

PLOWING AT REASONABLE RATES.

Hauling by the Day, : : $3 50.

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FARM FOR SALE.

EIGHTY acres of the Sanito Farm, about 1 mile from Winters. For further particulars apply to

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Pioneer Drug Store,

MAIN STREET, WINTERS, CAL.

THOMAS KEEFE

HAVING REMOVED TO MY

NEW BRICK STORE

AND RE-STOCKED IT WITH

Fresh Drugs and Medicines.

I would respectfully inform my friends and the Public in general, that I am prepared to fill

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS

With care NIGHT OR DAY. Parties living at a distance can have their Medicines sent by express C. O. D. I have also on hand Pure

WINES AND LIQUORS

FOR MEDICAL USE

FINE HAVANA CIGARS,

TEETH EXTRACTED

—WITH—

CARE AND SKILL.

☞ All orders received by mail or express will be promptly attended to. jan26-tf

NOTICE.

AFTER JANUARY 15, 1878, Whole Lots in the Masonic Cemetery will be sold at $20 and half Lots $10.

By order of the

jan19-1m TRUSTEES.

FOUND,

ON Monday morning, a sack, containing clothing. The owner can have the same by applying at the ADVOCATE office, proving property and paying, for this notice.

jan 19.

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blum & Co.,

DEALERS IN

CLOTHING AND DRYGOODS.

BOOTS AND SHOES
STATIONERY,
SCHOOL BOOKS,
HARDWARE

Fall and Winter GOODS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS!

TINWARE,
CROCKERY
GROCERIES
PROVISIONS
DRUGS,
PAINTS,
OILS,
TOBACCO

CIGARS, WINES AND LIQUORS.

GRAIN BAGS.

All of which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET PRICES.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

ALSO AGENTS FOR

FARMING IMPLEMENTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

AND

Averill's Celebrated Chemical Paint.

Corner Main and Railroad Avenue,

WINTERS!

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Parker House

RAILROAD STREET, BET. MAIN AND RUSSELL, WINTERS.

FIRST-CLASS

Board and Lodging

—BY THE—

DAY OR WEEK,

AT REASONABLE RATES.

AT THE BAR

CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND THE CHOICEST

WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.

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New Tinware AND STOVE STORE.

T. W. WILLIS,

HAVING TAKEN THE STORE ON Main street, Winters, recently occupied by James Donnelly, is prepared to manufacture all kinds of

TINWARE, WATER TANKS.

And furnish,

PIPES, PUMPS,

And all articles in his line of business, to order. Also will keep on hand a general assortment of

HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES,

He solicits a share of public patronage. my19-tf

INSURANCE!

BLUM & CO.,

ARE PREPARED TO

Insure Grain

IN WAREHOUSES

At Lowest Rates.

—WITH—

Responsible Companies.

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SACRAMENTO ADVERTISEMENTS.

SADDLE AND HARNESS

MANUFACTORY OF

J. T. STOLL, 172 K street, Sacramento,

THE Farmers will here find the best

Farm, Concord Harness; Plow Harness, Carriage and Buggy Harness.

THE EASIEST RIDING

Men and Ladies Saddles,

In fact the best of work in this business on this Coast.

STATE FAIR PREMIUMS, SILVER AND GOLD MEDAL

IN 1875, 1876, AND 1877,

TESTIFY TO THE QUALITY OF MY WORK.

ADDRESS P. O. BOX 54, OR EXAMINE PERSONALLY.

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WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

Occidental Hotel,

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J. I. TAYLOR, : Proprietor

HAVING TAKEN POSSESSION OF

This Favorite Hotel

I AM NOW PREPARED TO OFFER THE

TRAVELING AND RESIDENT PUBLIC,

First-Class Board.

LARGE AND WELL FURNISHED ROOMS

BY THE

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The Table

WILL BE AT ALL TIMES SUPPLIED WITH

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CHOICE WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS AT THE BAR.

No Chinese Cooks Employed.

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HARLING, LOWRY & CO.,

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

And in fact everything that is to be found in a well regulated General Merchandise Store.

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LUMBER,

AND ALL KINDS OF

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HORSE SHOEING,

AND ALL BLACKSMITHING with promptness and despatch.

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Jewelry Store,

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WOODLAND, CAL.

CLOCKS, WATCHES, CHAINS, LADIES GOLD SETS,

SOLID AND PLATED WARE

GOLD PENS, SPECTACLES,

And ever thing in the Jewelry line

AGENCY OF THE

Florence Sewing Machine.

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FIRST STREET

Livery Stables,

(REAR OF FREEMAN & CO'S STORE.)

WOODLAND, Cal.

FIRST CLASS TURN-OUTS, MODERATE CHARGES.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO LOADING HORSES.

☞ A Mammoth Corral and Feed Yard attached for the accommodation of Large Droves.

St. Nicholas Saloon,

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THE FINEST BRANDS OF

WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Call on me and then Go By.

This sign hangs high and binders none, Before, then pay, and travel on.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mail closes daily at the Post Office at Winters for Madison and Capay at 11:30 o'clock, A. M. daily.

For Sacramento, North and East, and San Francisco, South and West, daily at 3 o'clock, P. M.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

MATRIMONIAL.—We noted in our last a rumor that "two hearts would shortly be be authorized to beat as one." This rumor was turned a posse ad esse (from probability to reality,) on Sunday evening last, at the residence of the bride's parents in Winters. On that evening Miss Mary Bell Steward and Mr. John Henry Pritchard were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. K. Price, of the M. E. Church South, in the presence of the following relatives and friends of the family: T. H. Brock and lady, H. Jones and lady, W. D. Bowen and lady, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Seeley, Mrs. E. A. Humphrey, Miss Susie Brown, Miss Sadie Steward, sister of the bride, and Messrs. George Seeley, M. J. Seeley, John Sims, Walter Humphrey, Sig Levy, Edward Fisher, Archie Henderson, Sim Blum and Mr. and Mrs. Steward, parents of the bride. The bride was handsomely attired in a dress of rich dove colored pongee made polonaise, elegantly trimmed with silk fringe and silk to match; hair in crimps and curls; jewelry ornaments of gold. The wedded couple were unattended by either bride's maid or groomsman during the ceremony, which closed on their being declared husband and wife. The ceremony ended, and the congratulations of all present accorded the wedded couple, the company sat down to a sumptuous supper, to which full justice was done. After supper and spending an hour or so in social intercourse, the invited guests left for their homes, wishing the new made husband and wife all the blessings of a happy future. On Monday a dinner party, in honor of the nuptials was given by Mr. and Mrs. Brock, at their residence, which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the wedded parties. The festive board was spread out with all the delicacies and luxuries of the season, and made richer, if such a thing were possible, by us humans being waited upon by "young ladies fair."

IRRIGATION.—The necessity of providing against the recurrence of short crops in dry seasons has been the subject of earnest consideration and discussion by the agriculturists of Yolo county, and has resulted in the formation, in some parts of the county, of extensive irrigating canals, taking water from creeks in their vicinity in order to secure, in any event, a certainty of fair crops. This matter has also been a subject of consideration in our own section of the county, and has at length resulted in the formation of a company, and the securing a right to the waters of Putah Creek, taking the same from about the old Seeley Mill dam on the canyon road, and conveying it by canal or pipes to Winters and vicinity, thus securing irrigation, facilities in the dryest season. The following are the original locators of the right alluded to, who have completed a survey and recorded a claim in the proper office: J. R. Wolfskill, Sam Blum, J. A. Dovibiss, Benjamin Ely, senior, J. A. Brown and F. E. Baker. The locators of this water right will in all probability organize a company, in order that those of our farmers wishing to avail themselves of the means of irrigation may be afforded an opportunity of becoming interested and participate in the benefit to accrue from this much needed security against a failure of crops in the future.

LOVE LAUGHS AT LOCKSMITHS.—Mr. Holcomb, Superintendent of F. B. Chandler's lumber yard at Madison, was engaged to be married to Miss Katie Stone, step-daughter of S. C. Marshall, at Vacaville, on the 18th, and it was thought he would fail to put in an appearance, on account of Putah Creek bridge being washed away and no train running between Madison and Winters. But he had no notion of being disappointed, nor disappointing others; so he started the day before and crossed Putah in a skiff, thence to Vacaville in the cars, where he hired a buggy, in which he made the remainder of the trip, his appearance, of course, removing all apprehension of a failure next day. On the 19th, the happy couple left for Woodland, whence they expected to go by stage to their home in Madison. The correspondent of the Dixon Tribune says of the bride's dress, it was of satin or silk, of a pink, violet, or some other color, and both the bride and the dress looked very pretty.

RAIN THIS SEASON.—During the storm which set in on Sunday noon, the rain fell almost incessantly throughout the day and night, and, added to that which fell since, brings the sum total up to over 17 inches for the season. To make an estimate of the quantity of rain by weight, let it be remembered that "an inch of rain" means a gallon of water spread over the surface of nearly two square feet, or a fall of about 100 tons upon an acre of ground. We are told that the earth is saturated with water to the depth of 8 or 10 feet, and we think that is a moderate estimate, as the rain has fallen evenly over the whole surface in this section. This, while it settles all doubts as to the abundance of the coming crop, leaves the matter of prices of wheat stored for a rise, as a source of anxiety to those holding over.

[For the Winters Advocate.

WHEN!

If I were told that I must die to-morrow;
That the next sun
Which sinks should bear me past all sorrow,
For any one;
All the fight fought; all the short journey through;
What should I do?
I do not think that I should sink or falter,
But just go on
Doing my work, nor seek to change or alter
Aught that is gone,
But rise and move and love and smile and pray,
For one more day,
And lying down at night for a last sleeping,
Say in that ear
Which hearkens ever: "Lord, within thy keeping
What should I fear?
And when to-morrow brings Thee nearer still,
Do Thou Thy will!"
I might not sleep, for awe; but peaceful, tender,
My soul would lie
All the night long; and when the morning splendor
Flush'd o'er the sky,
I think that I could smile and calmly say,
I is his day.
But if a wondrous hand from the blue yonder
Held out this scroll,
On which my life was written, and I with wonder
Beheld unroll
To a long century's end its mystic clew,
What should I do?
What could I do, oh, blessed Guide and Master,
Other than this:
Still to go on as now, not slower, faster,
Nor fear to miss
The road, though so very long it be,
While led by Thee,
Step after step, feeling Thee close beside me,
Although unseen,
Through storms, through flowers, whether the
Tempest hide Thee,
Or heaven is one;
Assured thy faithfulness cannot betray,
Thy love decay.
I may not know, my God, no hand revealeth
Thy counsels wise;
Along the path of life a deep'ning shadow
Stealeth.
No voice replies
To a marquis long though the time to tell,
And is well.
Let me be poor, unlearned and unbearing,
Thy will always,
Through a long remembered spinney,
Or a beech drift,
Thou hast gone ere noontide or soon; and I can wait
At Thy cool gate.

JNO. N. T.

St Helb, Solano Co., Jan. 21, 1878.

Brevities.

Attention of parties desirous of purchasing a home is called to an advertisement in another column, of a farm at Buckeye.

The Canyon Road has been seriously damaged by the storm, and so badly filled up and washed out in some places as to prevent teaming, and rendering pack trains necessary.

The continued rain has caused the waters in Putah Creek to rise so rapidly as to prevent continued work on the piling of the railroad bridge until yesterday.

We are requested to call the attention of those using kerosene or other explosive oils, to the fact that insurance policies prohibit the drawing of such after candle light. Housekeepers should make a note of this and procure their supplies by daylight.

Beautiful Ladies' and Gents' Gold Chains, at Uncle Harris'.

The Lakeport Bee says Mr. O. H. Willis has been engaged to teach the Bachelor Valley school.

John Bradford, formerly of the Winters Hotel, who was cared for by his Masonic brethren of Vacaville during a long and severe illness, we are pleased to learn is fast recovering his health.

The horse, saddle and bridle raffled off at Joe Murray's saloon on Friday week, was won by David Vinson.

The whooping cough is prevailing to some extent among the children in Winters.

Wheat quoted at San Francisco, yesterday, at $2 00 @ 2 07 for shipping, and $2.07 @ 2.10 for milling.

The livery stable suit of Bundy vs Barney, tried at Woodland, this week, resulted in a verdict for the defendant. J. McKenna, of Suisun, for plaintiff; J. C. Ball and F. E. Baker, of Woodland, for defendant.

The rain has given us a rest, winding up for the present with a clear sky and balmy atmosphere, the thermometer ranging during the week from 46 to 58.

The most rapid growth of barley ever seen occurred at the Occidental Hotel, reaching a height of eight inches in one week.

The Duncan Brothers and D. Q. Adams, Esq. have contracted an irrigating ditch leading from Cache Creek, just above Langtown, to Mr. A.'s ranch, a distance of three miles.

SABBATH SERVICES.—Rev. Mr. Culton, pastor, will preach at the C. P. Church to-morrow Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Communion after morning service. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings. Choir meeting Saturday evenings. The Church Session meets to-day, at 2 o'clock.

Services at the Christian Church, second and fourth Sundays by Elder Dunton, and third Sunday of the month by Elder Smith, of the Baptist Church.

Services at the M. E. Church South, to-morrow, Sunday, by Rev. J. K. Price, pastor, morning and evening. Communion after morning service. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Services at Davisville second and fourth Sundays of the month. The Santa Rosa District Conference of the M. E Church, will convene in Winters April 4th, 1878. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev. J. C. Hyden.

I. O. G. T.—The following officers were elected at the last meeting of Winters Lodge, for the ensuing term: V. Morris, W. C. T.; Mrs. E. A. Moody, W. V. T.; Mrs. H. A. Ball, W. S.; Mrs. V. Morris, W. T; Wilbur Sims, W. F. S; C. T. Sims, W. M.; Olive Wilson, I. G.; A. Suddarth, W. O. G.

LETTER LIST.

LETTERS remaining uncalled for at the Post Office at Winters, Cal., for the month ending January 31, 1877.

Bowl, T.	Gamwell, Nancy
Lyons, Thomas	Muller, Philip
Miller & Slide	Payne, Mrs. F. I.
Price, T. L.	Robinson, F. W.
Robinson, W. J.	Robinson, Mrs. W. J.
Sair, Jolie te	Williams, Mrs. E. a
Well, Mar. e, [3]	Winslow, A. S.

General Items.

SOLANO COUNTY.

The Bank of Dixon, in its last semi-annual statement, shows that the institution has been managed with judgment, showing $11,000 earnings over expenses.

The delinquent tax in Solano county amounts to only $8,500 against $11,000 last year.

The rainfall this season at Vacaville overtops any other part of the State, as measured by Mr. Creighton, of that place, footing up to January 23d, 18.27 inches.

George Frahm, of the City Hotel, Dixon, has leased Fredericton Park, and will proceed to make extensive improvements.

At the Paris Exposition this season, there will be a prize show of the most beautiful women in the world, and a Vallejo paper, noticing this contest, says the girls of that city will carry off the bulk of the prizes, and the editor of the Dixon Tribune thinks they might—if feet count.

Miss Gracie Plaisted, of Vacaville, made her debut at the California Theatre, on the evening of the 21st, as a vocalist.

The Dixon Tribune, from which we condense the above items, says that "in a recent sermon on the existence of a hell, Rev. J. L. Blitch, of that place, expressed his substantial accord with the new Beecher doctrine."

A San Francisco man, born in Kerry, Ireland, recently offered 20,000 ($400,000) for an estate in that place which in 1852 was only valued at $130,000.

The Visalia Iron Age says a tin mine has been discovered in the northern part of that county, (Tulare) some of the ore of which was sent to Swansea, Wales, and was found to contain at least sixty-five per cent. of excellent tin. A rich thing for the lucky discoverer.

The Lower Lake Bulletin of Saturday last says the total rainfall in Lower Lake, up to the evening of the 24th, was 25.60 inches. This is said to be the largest in ten years.

Plowed adobe land is wet down from 14 to 18 feet in Alameda county.

The official majority of Bones, the Workingman's successful candidate to fill the Senatorial seat of the late Senator Porter, of Alameda county, is 692.

The Haywards Journal says its neighboring town of Alvarado is almost completely submerged, and its citizens are compelled to move round in boats.

Rutherford B. Hayes is probably the lonesomest man this country ever saw, says the Rochester Democrat.—Whereupon the Worcester Press remarks: That's what comes of trying to be an honest Republican.

They are making fine gold jewelry now, so you can't tell it from brass, and it comes about as cheap, too. We make this statement from our own observation, but then we are not a very good judge of jewelry.

Two more 100-ton guns have just been completed for the Italian Government. The new guns will use a powder charge of 470 pounds and hurl a projectile weighing 2,200 pounds.

Talmas-Mico, a full blooded Indian is conducting revival services in Chicago.

A number of colored men at Washington have organized a negro American society to prevent, if possible, the excessive mortality among colored people in that city.

The Constitution of Mississippi makes all citizens ineligible to hold office who have taken part in duels, either as principals or seconds.

PERRY'S SEMINARY, SACRAMENTO.

Perry's Seminary at Sacramento City, Cal, reopened January 7, 1878. This school gives a full and thorough course of instruction in the English branches. Superior advantages afforded in music and painting. An experienced teacher has been engaged to give French Lessons to the entire school according to the celebrated method of Dr. Sauveur. The young ladies receive these lessons at an expense almost nominal. The primary scholars receive lessons in French, Vocal Music and Drawing with extra charge.

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Dr. Bond's treatment consists of an "Antidote" that is applied locally, and at once arrests the growth of the Cancer, and by chemical action neutralizes its malignity, rendering it harmless and changing it to a simple sore, which restores, assisted by constitutional remedies, soon heals, (when the skin is broken, and the Cancer is a hard tumor, the Antidote does not make an open sore, but removes it by absorption). In connection with the Antidote is used the Specific taken internally. This tones up the general health, strengthens the patient, purifies the blood, and eliminates the poison from the system. Dr. Bond's Antidote contains neither caustic nor poison, and can be applied to the most delicate tissues of the body without injury, and therefore is the only remedy that can be used in internal Cancer, such as cancer of the stomach, cancer of the womb, etc. Dr. Bond's remedies, with full directions for successful treatment, will be sent to any part of the world.

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Madison—W. Levy.

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Woodland—Spence & Boulton, G. W. Proctor.

Furniture, etc.
Winters—Mansfield; Harling, Lowry & Co.; Blum & Co
Woodland—P. Krellenberg, J. K. Smith.

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Winters—Ed. Hayes; Brock & Canterbury.

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Woodland—Mrs. John Webber.

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Winters—E. A. Humphrey.
Woodland—T. M. Prior.
Sacramento—S. Roth, J. T. Stoll.

Livery and Feed Stables.
Winters—Robert Brown, M. L. Bundy.
Woodland—J. B. Pockman.
Madison—G. R. Hurlbut.

Meats and Poultry.
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Music, etc.
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Painting, etc.
Winters—J. B. Murray.
Madison—F. A. Freund & Co.

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PERSONAL.

MR. TILDEN will spend a part of the winter in Georgia and Florida.

THE Pope cannot bear fire in his rooms, and to keep his hands warm has invented a *palletta*, a hollow little ball of silver somewhat larger than an egg, which is filled with hot water, and which from time to time he rolls between his chilled palms.

MR. EVARTS compares himself to the Connecticut farmer's stone wall, which was built four feet high and five feet thick, so that if it was blown over it would be higher than before. "I have been patient enough," he says, "to come here on a salary of $8,000 a year, and if I am tipped over, I will go back to a practice of $40,000 a year."

IT is said that Osman Pasha was a close student of the campaigns of Gen. Lee and Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, and that he had all their reports and descriptions of their military movements translated specially for him; that he delighted to comment on "Stonewall Jackson," and spoke eloquently of Sheridan. But Lee and Johnston were his models.

A PICTURE of Prince Albert and his eldest daughter, then just betrothed crown princess of Prussia, is given in his own words: "I am giving Vicky, every evening, an hour for conversation, in which our chief topic is history. She knows a great deal. I also give her subjects which she works out for me. Her intellect is quick and thoroughly sound in its operation."

JUDAH P. BENJAMIN, formerly a member of the Confederate Cabinet under Jeff Davis, and now one of the leading lawyers at the London bar, while pleading, began an argument with the adjuration: "In the name of heaven—" The Master of the Rolls instantly stopped him, saying very quietly: "I do not see that heaven has much to do in this case, Mr. Benjamin; the proper appeal is to the appellate court."

GENERAL "BOB" TOOMBS, of Georgia, is described as the possessor of a figure that is a model of manly strength and beauty, and a head that Nature left rough-cast. Grizzled, unkempt locks are piled in disorder over and around his broad, high forehead, and the dark skin of his massive features is plowed by deep lines. When excited, his eyes glow, his arms are thrown rapidly and forcibly about, and he speaks in a high, sharp voice.

WHEN Mark Twain lectured recently at a town in Massachusetts, it was arranged that T. B. Aldrich, the poet, should introduce him. When Mr. Aldrich was about to step forward to perform his duty, Mark checked him. Then advancing slowly to the edge of the platform, while the amazed poet resumed his chair, the humorist remarked: "Ladies and gentlemen, my friend, Mr. Aldrich, was going to tell you who I was, but I would rather not—he knows me too well."

A WASHINGTON correspondent says President Hayes has grown fleshy since his election and his face is that of a man at peace with his dinner and the world. There is a look of greater refinement, too, about him than there was two years ago, as though he were accustomed to better society as President of the United States than as Governor of Ohio. He appears to have lost a certain awkwardness of manner that characterized him then, and his relations with his hands and feet are far more amicable than they used to be.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS has written this pretty little inscription in a copy of his American History which he has given to a child-friend: "You are now of years too tender to read, but ere long you will be able not only to understand this inscription, but also to understand what is written in this book. When you grow up study it, for in it you will find a true history of your country, and become acquainted with the virtues and heroic deeds of your ancestors. Then you will, I trust, treasure it as a memento of one passing off the stage of life upon which you are just entering."

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES is thus described by the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette*: "He is a brisk, witty man, who dresses in the most charmingly old-fashioned style, always with a drab waist-coat, and a coat that seems too small for him. He looks like a cross between a Yankee and a Scotchman, and has a dried-up appearance, very much like an autumn leaf. But he has a keen eye that laughs when he laughs. And he enjoys laughing, and wakes you up with his fun." Of Mr. Emerson, the correspondent says: "I happened, years ago, to be standing near him in a public place—quite accidentally, I assure you—when an enthusiastic fellow, whose speech betrayed the cockney, rushed up, seized his hand and, with his hat on, rattled off the following: 'Mr. Emerson, allow me to take you by the 'and, I consider you the greatest writer since Shakespeare.' Mr. Emerson bowed slightly, and a quiet smile stole over his face."—*New York Tribune.*

Wit and Humor.

A KNIGHT of Bath—Saturday night.

"WASHINGTON never told an obituary," says the *Courier-Journal.*

IT'S a wise paragraph that knows his own father.—*St. Louis Journal.*

"SUPERIOR" is the favorite Boston feminine word of commendation, and is applied equally to a bonnet or sermon, a painting or pie.

A MAN died suddenly from intemperance, and a Western jury found that "deceased came to his death by drinking between drinks."

OSMAN PASHA has seven wives in Constantinople, and yet there are some people who wonder why he courted death.—*St. Louis Journal.*

WHITEHALL has a minister who received but forty-six dollars' salary for last year's services, and this was the net receipts of a donation!

"THE strongest propensity in a woman's nature," says a careful student of the sex, "is to want to know what is going on, and the next is to boss the job."

IF you want to talk heavy science, say "protoxide of hydrogen," instead of "ice." It sounds bigger, and not one man in a thousand will know what you mean.

A NEW YORK restaurant, deprecating Mr. Bergh's interference with its business, puts up this sign: "Oysters chloroformed and opened *a la* Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

GRACE GREENWOOD was standing in a Washington horse-car, when a sudden start of the car threw her over into a gentleman's lap, when she said, "I beg pardon, sir; but you see I am a Laplander.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

Senate.

BILLS INTRODUCED.—To establish a mint for coinage of gold and silver at Indianapolis, and appropriating certain grounds for the same, and also money for the purchase of the necessary machinery.

Authorizing the coinage of the standard silver dollar, and providing that gold and silver joint-y, and not otherwise, shall be a legal tender.

To authorize the establishment of mail steamship service between the United States and Brazil.

To remit taxes on insolvent savings banks.

To repeal the section of the Revised Statutes imposing a tax of ten per cent. upon the circulation of State banks.

BILL PASSED.—Directing the Secretary of the Treasury to cause the Custom House at Memphis, Tennessee, to be constructed of Tennessee marble.

PETITIONS PRESENTED.—A large number from the citizens of Uister, Livingston, Orange and other counties of New York, in favor of the remonetization of silver.

From New York State, favoring remonetization of silver and repeal of the Specie Resumption Act.

RESOLUTIONS.—Consideration was resumed of the resolution of Matthews, declaring the right of the Government to pay bonds in silver.

The amendment of Conkling, making the resolution a joint instead of a concurrent one, was rejected.

Edmunds moved to indefinitely postpone the resolution. Rejected—43 to 22.

The debate on Matthews' resolution lasted nearly one day, after which it was passed—43 to 22.

Edmunds then moved to amend the preamble submitted by Matthews, by inserting the following:

And whereas, by a provision of the Coinage Act of 1873, passed on February 12th of that year, and of the Revised Statutes, which took effect on the 1st day of December of that year, all provisions of law authorizing the coinage of such silver dollar was repealed.

Matthews said he would accept that amendment.

The preamble and resolution were then finally voted upon and adopted—yeas, 42; nays, 20.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The Vice-President presented a communication from the Secretary of War regarding the publication of the history of the late war, and suggesting that a Committee be appointed to examine the work already done, arrange for the form of publication, etc.

Ferry presented a resolution of the Michigan State Grange, remonstrating against the passage of any bill reducing the rates on foreign wools, and in favor of the passage of a law for the protection of purchases of patented articles.

The report of the Joint Committee on Chinese Immigration was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

The statue of William King, contributed by Maine to the National statuary, was accepted.

A communication from the Secretary of War regarding the reimbursing of the State of Texas for expenses incurred by said State by repelling invasion by Indians and Mexicans was referred.

House.

BILLS INTRODUCED.—To authorize the killing of fur seals and other fur-bearing animals within the limits of Alaska. Also to provide for the organization of the navy during peace.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution, providing that no claims against the United States shall ever be paid unless the same shall have been presented to the proper tribunal within ten years from the time the claim shall have accrued.

Authorizing the coinage of the silver dollar, and declaring gold and silver jointly, and not otherwise, to be full legal tender.

For the transfer of the Indian Bureau to the War Department.

Restricting the admission of cadets at West Point.

For the establishment of mail steamship service between the United States and Brazil.

To incorporate a National Railroad Company, for the purpose of constructing a rail way from the Atlantic seaboard to Chicago, St. Louis and Council Bluffs.

To prevent further destruction or retirement of United States Treasury notes, and to keep them after resumption as paper currency of the country.

To suspend for five years the operation of the law requiring the purchase annually of one per cent. of the debt of the United States.

Establishing a line of mail and emigrant steamships between Fernandina, Florida, and Liverpool.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution, providing for the issue of legal tender notes and regulating the amount thereof.

Granting lands to aid in the construction of a railroad from Bismarck to the Black Hills.

The Fortification Appropriation bill.

BILLS PASSED.—Tue bill to punish embezzlement in the District of Columbia and to protect the District records.

Authorizing Rear Admiral John J. Almy to receive a decoration from the King of the Hawaiian Islands.

Authorizing Spencer F. Baird, Assistant Secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, to receive from the King of Sweden a diploma constituting him a member of the Norwegian Order of Olof.

The bill reviving the steamboat laws was taken up, and amended by declaring who shall be officers, pilots and engineers of all steam vessels, and that none but citizens of persons actually residing in the United States shall be licensed as pilots and engineers, and so passed.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED.—Instructing the Committee on Currency to inquire into the amount of gold and silver on hand, etc.

Appointing Noah Porter, of Connecticut, to fill the vacancy in the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institute, caused by the resignation of Jas. D. Dana.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The joint resolution of the Missouri Legislature, for removal of the capital, was reported back adversely, and tabled.

Turner asked leave to offer a resolution for the appointment of a Special Committee to inquire into the causes of the present cruel pecuniary depression, and to determine what constitutional measure consistent with the public faith can be taken to give relief to the people and restore prosperity. Objection being made, the resolution lies over.

Tucker, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported back the joint resolution extending the time for the withdrawal of distilled spirits now in bond until July 1, 1878. He explained that the resolution simply extended the time for withdrawal of distilled spirits from bond until after the time the Committee should decide whether the tax should be reduced. If forecasted, however, in no manner the action of the Committee. Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The bill to equip an expedition to the Arctic seas was recommitted.

Near the last of the week the House went into Committee of the Whole on the bill extending the time for withdrawal of distilled spirits in bond until July 1st, and spent a day in its debate, but rose without action.

Washington Notes.

OVER a million trade dollars have been sent East the present month for domestic circulation. The profit in shipping trade dollars to the Eastern States is three per cent.

SENATOR JONES is confident that the Senate will pass the Bland bill by a two-shirds majority. He estimates the vote to be 53 to 22. He claims to have knowledge that this will be the vote.

WHITTHORN will introduce a bill, giving to all employees or laborers chartered by Congress, a lien on the property of the respective companies for wages due, which shall have priority in equity and right of all other claims, and which may be enforced by attachment or otherwise in United States District Courts.

SUCCESS OF THE POPULAR LOAN.—At a late Cabinet meeting, Secretary Sherman announced that he had already received subscriptions on the popular loan amounting to nearly $1,000,000. Two hundred thousand dollars of this sum are from the Trustees of a Kansas School Fund, $300,000 from a New York Trust Company, and smaller subscriptions make up the rest.

THOMAS EWING has accepted an invitation to address a mass meeting in favor of remonetizing silver, and to discuss the effects of contraction and resumption, to be held in Cooper Institute, New York. Several other members of Congress have been invited to address the meeting; among them Senators Jones of Nevada, Jones of Florida, Voorhees, Gordon, Merrimon, Matthews, and Representatives Bland, Butler, Bright, Kelly, and others will be present.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[Quotations, unless otherwise specified, represent receivers' prices in lots, marketed on wharf or from store.]

FLOUR—A notable decline in values of Wheat caused a serious decline in Flour. On a declining market no one wants to buy, hence an unsatisfactory market to both selling and buying interest. The following quotations are understood to be for consigned lots, or round lots from the mill, payable in gold coin; for jobbers' rates, silver, add about 50c.

Superfine, $4 50@$5 00; shipping extras, $5 25@$5 50; extra, high grades, $6 00@$6 12½; Oregon standard extras, $5 50@$5 75.

WHEAT—This market steadily declined following our last report. Choice Shipping sold $2 15 before this issue was off the press; subsequently $2 10, and at the close $2 07½ bought choice Wheat on wharf; $2 06½ bought good Walla Walla Club; $2 05 was accepted for a lot of Salt Lake aboard cars, quality not choice. These lower range of values were brought about mostly by reason of firmness in charters 47s 6d to Liverpool, and the usual advance to Cork and the continent; but the season is advancing and we have quite a little surplus crop to be marketed. All fears are dispelled as to a good crop yield, and with later rains, anything approaching our usual spring rains, an unprecedented large yield is almost assured. A leading grain king, in showing us advices from different parts of the State, closed his conversation with this remark—"So far the season's prospects are all that could be desired; had we been given the ordering of rains and the growing of the young grains, it could not have been better done. From the present outlook there is every indication pointing to an abundant Wheat yield, and good compensating rates to the farmers." This good crop news has the effect to bring forward the surplus and convert holders at a possible $2 50 per ctl, to sellers at the market value at the date of offering their goods for sale. In a word, speculation is ended. Now, if Turkey accepts, signs Russia's peace terms, and we regard it as only a question of a little time, then all obstacles are out of the way and trade will assume its normal state. Values, of course, will eventually further recede.

We quote good to choice milling, $2 10 @$2 15; superfine, $2 05@$2 07½; shipping, $2 05@$2 07½; low grades, $1 90@ $2 00.

BARLEY—This market further eases off. There seems to be a disposition to unload stocks, with the crop prospects before us and the ample large supply on hand.

We quote bay feed, $1 50@$1 55; coast (fed, $1 47½@$1 52½ (all gold); brewing, $1 05; chevalier, choice, $1 80@—; feed chevalier, $1 55 (gold coin.)

CORN—The Mexican demand runs lighter, local demand moderate and values look weaker at quotations.

We quote large yellow, $1 55@$1 60 large white, $1 80; small round, $1 75@ $1 80

OATS—Very light demand and large supply from Oregon in sight and values tending downward.

We quote milling at $1 90@$1 95; good to choice feed, $1 80@$1 85; ordinary feed, $1 65@$1 75.

WOOL—

EXPORTS.

	Overland.	Sea.	Interior.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
January	778,728	12,099	900
February	1,294,896	10,827	
March	2,171,918	673,638	
April	5,622,190	96,005	613,350
May	2,674,435	2,339,143	1,097,370
June	1,044,860	2,625,886	628,810
July	3,470,650	174,220	184,990
August	1,576,450	107,100	117,300
September	1,512,383	27,260	27,960
October	4,054,319	71,037	76,657
November	4,401,900	50,420	60,350
December	4,438,400	649,430	1,550
Totals	42,084,409	6,746,810	2,808,667

Stocks are quite small, and there is a steady, light outward movement, at steady rates; but few choice Northern to be had.

We quote: southern, burry, and slightly burry, 11@13½c; northern, burry, 14½@17c; northern, free, 18@20c.

HOPS—There is no movement to chronicle.

We quote Oregon, 6@7c; Territory, 7@8c; California, 7@9c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—There has been a great scarcity of fresh roll Butter by reason of delayed transportation, but at this writing the delayed supply is to hand; values are steadier and the future tone is easy. Eggs same influences as butter. New Cheese is arriving a little more freely.

We quote: California choice fresh roll Butter, 28@30c; fair to good roll, 25@ 27½c; pickled roll, 18@22½c; firkin, fair to good, 18@22½c; Cheese—California, 19@20c; Western Cheese, 18½@20c ₱ lb; California Eggs, 40@42½c ₱ doz; Eastern, 27½@30c.

PROVISIONS.—California plain Hams, 12 @12½c; Eastern Hams, 15@15½c; California Lard, 11@14c; Eastern do, 12½@14c for all styles of package; California Bacon, 12½ @14c; Eastern Bacon, 13 @ 13½c; California Smoked Beef, 10 @ 10½c ₱ lb; Beef, $8 50@$10 50 ₱ bbl, hf bbl, $4 50 @$6 00; Pork, ₱ bbl, $22 00@$24 00; Pork, ₱ bbl, $22 00@$24 00;

POULTRY—The market price runs very irregular.

We quote: Turkeys, dressed, ₱ lb, 17@ 21c; Turkeys, alive, 16@20c; Hens, ₱ doz, $6 00@$7 00; Roosters, ₱ doz, $6 50@$8 50; Broilers, ₱ doz, $6 00@$7 00; Ducks, ₱ doz, $9 00@$11 00; Geese, ₱ pair, $2 00@$3 50.

FRUIT—GREEN—Choice Apples are in very light supply, and the supply of California fruit yet to come forward is very insignificant, while from Oregon choice apples are by no means plenty. Ordinary fruit is only light stock, hence forward we may expect high ruling rates.

We quote: Apples, ₱ box, $1 00@$2 00; Bananas, $1 50@$4 00 ₱ bunch; Limes, Mexican, $8 00@$10 00; Limes, California, $5 00@$6 00 ₱ M; Loreto Oranges, $20 00 @$30 00; Cranberries, ₱ bbl. $12 00@$13 00

FRUIT, DRIED—Choice, fat, prime California plums are scarce, and firmly held; while thin, skinny stocks are not wanted at any fair price. Pears in moderate request. Apples unchanged, choice quartered, in second hands, firm. Raisins, but few extra choice marks, and they are pretty firmly held, while the ordinary Raisin is in moderate, light request; and lots badly cured, and not well packed, are difficult of sale at a lower range of values.

We quote: Apples, quartered, at 4@6c ₱ lb; Apples, sliced, 6@7½c; Peaches 7@8c; Plums, California, pitted, 14@17c; Plums, Oregon, 12@14c; Raisins, $1 00@$2 00.

POTATOES AND ONIONS—Choice Early Rose Potatoes and other choice seed kinds, quick sale and very full rates. The consumption fully equals the demand, and the present and future tone in sellers' favor.

We quote: Potatoes, Early Rose, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 95@$2 15; Oregon, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 10 @$1 60; Sweets, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 50. Onions, Silver Skins, ₱ 100 lbs, 40@75c.

BEANS.—Market is firm for choice stocks.

We quote as follows (gold coin): Bayo, $4 00 @$4 25; small Whites, $3 00@$3 25; Pea, $3 25; Pink, $4 00@$4 25; Red, —; large Butter, $3 25; medium do, $2 75@$3 00; Limas, $4 25—firm.

SALT AND SMOKED FISH.—Salmon in bbl, $9 00@$11 00; do hf bbl, $5 00@$6 00; all as to quality, where caught and grade of fish. Salmon, 1-lb tins, $1 55@$1 60; do 2-lb tins, $2 25; do 2½-lb tins, $3 50; smoked, 6@ 7c ₱ lb; Cod, Pacific, bdls, 5½@6c ₱ lb; Cod, in cases, 6@6½c; Cod, boneless, Eastern, 10c ₱ lb; Georges Cod, 8@9c ₱ lb; Mackerel, hf bbls, No. 1, $10 00@$13 00; do, hf bbls, No. 2, $8 00@$10 00; do, kits, No. 1, $2 25@$2 50; do, kits, No. 2, $2 00@$2 25.

MEATS AND LIVESTOCK.—Beef and Mutton take a very decided firm tone, caused by light supply. Light supply for the next two months is almost assured, and values will rule firm.

We quote: Beef, first quality, 9@11c; second do, 8@9c; third do, 5@7c; Veal, small, 7 @9c; do large, 5½@6c; Mutton, 7@9c; Lamb, 8@9c; Hogs, as in quality, 6@6½c ₱ lb.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.—Dry Hides, over 16 lbs, —c; Dry Hides, Kip and Calf, 12½c; wet salted, 7½@8c. Plump, heavy Steer, 9c. Sheep Skins, dull, 30@90c, as to quality. Tallow, 6@7c.

NUTS.—Almonds, 8c for hard and 14@16c for soft shell; Brazil, 12½@14c; Filberts, 12½ @15c; Hickory, 10@11c; Pecan, 10@14c; Chile Walnuts, 10@11c; California Walnuts 8@10c; California Peanuts, 5@7c ₱ lb; Cocoanuts, $5 00@$8 00 ₱ hundred.

BAGS AND BAGGING.—We quote: Machine-sewed, 22x36, 9½c; Hand-sewed, 22x36, 9½c; Standard Gunnies, 14½ @ 16c; Wool Sacks, 4 lbs, 45c; Wool Sacks, 3½ lbs, 40@42½c.

BEESWAX.—Quotable at 30@33½c; scarce and wanted.

HAY AND STRAW.—We quote hay $16 00@ $23 00 ₱ ton; market steady. Straw, 70@90c.

SEED.—Brown Mustard, 2½c@3c, as to quality and quantity; White, scarce, 5@6c; Alfalfa, 8@10c; Timothy, 5@6c.

HONEY.—We quote: Comb, white, 18@ 20c; Comb, dark, 13@14c; Strained, dark 10@12c; Strained, choice, 13@14c ₱ lb.

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